

TORRANCE BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Merkeley recently moved to 1845 Asencia avenue from Wilmington. Mr. Merkeley is an employee of the National Supply.

"Hallelujah" Great Negro Film Coming Sunday and Monday

Vivid drama, haunting music, and the quaint old traditions of the South all blend into what is probably the most daring and interesting venture in motion pictures in history—King Vidor's "Hallelujah," first all-Negro film drama in history, which comes Sunday and Monday to the Torrance theatre.

NEW MILLION DOLLAR SHIP FOR CATALINA

AVAILON, Catalina Island, Calif., Jan. 30—William Wrigley Jr. has approved specifications for a new million dollar steamer to be built for passenger service to Catalina Island. This is the second million dollar project Mr. Wrigley has OK'd since his arrival from Chicago a few weeks ago to look after his Catalina Island interests.

Final Appeal for Christmas Seal Money Made

A resolution that a follow-up appeal be sent out urging early return on the Christmas Seals and asking the co-operation of organization women, service clubs, fraternal and civic organizations to cooperate in the completion of the Christmas Seal Sale in Torrance was passed at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Los Angeles County Tuberculosis and Health Association.

Relatives of Joseph Pera Arrive

Joe Pera, employe of the Safin Manufacturing company, who was found last week lying in his home on Western avenue suffering from a paralytic stroke, shows little improvement, according to word received from the Jared Sidney Torrance Memorial hospital early this week.

Relatives of the stricken man were summoned by friends. A sister, Rosa Scaramelli of Oakland, arrived here Friday and a brother from Meaderville, Montana, arrived Sunday to be with Mr. Pera.

TORRANCE THEATRE

LAST SHOWING TODAY JOHN BARRYMORE in "GENERAL CRACK" Warner Bros. Vitaphone Production

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, JAN. 31-FEB. 1 WARNER BAXTER in "Romance of the Rio Grande" All Talking

SUNDAY and MONDAY, FEB. 2-3 KING VIDOR'S "HALLELUJAH" All Talking and Singing

TUES., WED. and THURS., FEB. 4-5-6 WILL ROGERS in "They Had to See Paris" All Talking

COMING SOON—SHOW OF SHOWS!

Lomita Theatre "THE HOME OF BIG PICTURES"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, JAN. 31-FEB. 1 "Mississippi Gambler" All Talking Talking Comedy, "Big Time Charlie" Review No. 12 News

SUNDAY and MONDAY, FEB. 2-3 "FLIGHT" All Talking "Ace of Scotland Yard," No. 10 Sound Oswald Notice—We are obliged to raise our price on "Flight", to 35c for Adults. Children's prices will remain the same.

TUESDAY, FEB. 4—SILVER NIGHT "Her Private Life" Talking Comedy, "As You Make It"

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, FEB. 4-5 "This Thing Called Love" All Talking Program "Sultor" News COMING—"Senor Americano," "Oh Yeah," "His First Command," "Hell's Heroes"

Hollywood Revue Heads Bill at Fox Redondo Next Week

With the greatest cast of stars that ever contributed to the making of one motion picture, "The Hollywood Revue," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's huge musical extravaganza, comes Monday and Tuesday of next week to the Fox Redondo theatre. Stars of stage and screen stars of vaudeville, opera and radio, stars of all the wonderful amusement fields of the twentieth century, in one huge parade, with twenty songs, abundant comedy, tuneful melodies and dialogue that sparkles, to say nothing of the largest dancing chorus of beautiful girls that ever dazzled an audience are features of this entertainment.

New Air Drama, "Flight" Perfect Technically

Columbia's all-talking roadshow attraction, "Flight," opens at the Lomita Theatre Sunday and Monday. The cast includes Jack Holt, Lila Lee, Ralph Graves, Harold Goodwin, Jimmy DeLoe, George E. Stone, Alan Roscoe.

CONTRACTORS ORGANIZE NEW HOME BUREAU

Eugene DeHaas is Appointed Manager to Promote Home Modernization. The Modern Homes Bureau, a development of the home modernization movement, was organized Tuesday evening at an inaugural meeting of local building contractors who meet in the Torrance Chamber of Commerce offices.

FOX REDONDO

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, Jan. 31-Feb. 1 GARY COOPER in ALL TALKIE that is DIFFERENT! "Seven Days Leave" With Beryl Mercer Also LAUREL and HARDY, Talking Comedy "Night Owls" FOX MOVIE TONE NEWS

SUNDAY ONLY, FEB. 2 ALL TALKING epic of the frozen north with Virginia Valli, Conway Tearle and Ricardo Cortez Also Talking Comedy Sport Novelty METROTONE NEWS

MONDAY & TUESDAY, Feb. 3-4 TALKING, SINGING, DANCING ALL STAR REVUE "The Hollywood Revue" Also METROTONE NEWS

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY, Feb. 5-6 Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks in ALL TALKING SENSATION "The Taming of the Shrew" Also Talking Comedy Fox Movietone News

FOX GRANADA

WILMINGTON PHONE 968 TONIGHT, JAN. 29 "ROMANCE of the RIO GRANDE" All talking with WARNER BAXTER, MARY DUNCAN Also Comedy and News

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, JAN. 31-FEB. 1 All Talking WILLIAM HAINES in "NAVY BLUES" with ANITA PAIGE Also Comedy and News

SUNDAY ONLY, FEBRUARY 2 "SOUTH SEA ROSE" All talking tropical romance with LENORE ULRIC and CHAS. BICKFORD Also Talking Comedy, Novelty Reel and Metrotone News

MONDAY and TUESDAY, FEB. 3-4 (DOUBLE TALKING BILL) "Glorifying the American Girl" "This Thing Called Love" with Mary Eaton With Constance Bennett and Edmund Lowe Also Fox Movietone News

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, FEB. 5-6 "HALLELUJAH" KING VIDOR'S sensational talking production! Entire Colored Cast! Also Metrotone News

Every Program a Thriller at Fox Granada This Week

The Fox Granada theatre in Wilmington, is offering quite an assortment of good pictures this week. Every Thursday afternoon is bargain matinee, with two shows—one at 1 and one at 3 p. m.

Joan Bennett Has Career at Age of Only 18

Joan Bennett, at the age of eighteen, when most girls are just leaving high school, has achieved a career which might well be envied as that of a film star.

Elementary School Entertains Perfect Attendance Pupils

Semi-annual perfect attendance party was held yesterday afternoon at the Torrance elementary school auditorium for all children who had neither been tardy or absent during the semester.

Doug and Mary Change 600 Costumes in Two Hours

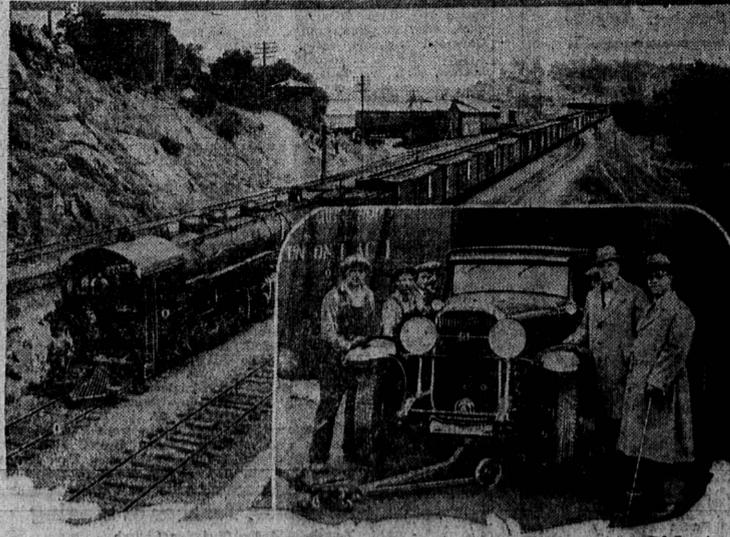
A new record in "transformation" was established by the make-up department of Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks during the filming of "Taming of the Shrew" which commences the Fox Plaza theatre, Hawthorne, next week, Friday and Saturday, Feb. 7-8.

Read Our Want Ads

BOWLING

Ladies Free! Every Afternoon Except Sunday 12 Noon to 6 P. M. Men's Elimination Contest STARTING Wednesday, Feb. 5th; 8 p. m. American Recreation Parlors 1953 Carson St. Phone 430

Drive Concern Orders Buicks By Trainload



So satisfactory have Buicks proven in the national service of the Hertz Drive-Yourself Stations that recently two entire trainloads of the 1930 models were ordered for service in the company's west coast division.

FOX PLAZA

HAWTHORNE 222 PRICES ALWAYS—10c and 30c FRIDAY and SATURDAY, JAN. 31-FEB. 1 ALL TALKING

"Romance of the Rio Grande" With Warner Baxter, Mary Duncan and Antonio Moreno

SUNDAY, FEB. 2—ONE DAY ONLY ALL TALKING, SINGING and DANCING "Glorifying the American Girl" with MARY EATON and EDDIE CANTOR

MONDAY and TUESDAY, FEB. 3-4 Double Program TWO ALL-TALKING PICTURES "LAUGHING LADY" and "COURTIN' WILDCATS" with RUTH CHATTERTON

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, FEB. 5-6 ALL TALKING—WILLIAM HAINES in "Navy Blues" with ANITA PAGE and KARL DANE

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, FEB. 7-8 ALL TALKING MARY PICKFORD and DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS in "The Taming of the Shrew"